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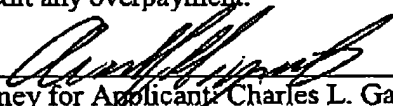
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In re application of: **Anton Scholten et al.**Entitled: **FUEL CELL SYSTEM FOR GENERATING ELECTRIC ENERGY AND HEAT**

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application. The following checked items are applicable:

- ☐ This is a Request for Continued Examination under §1.114; authorization is provided herewith to charge Deposit Account No. 23-0804 for the cost of same (\$) per §1.17(e).
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